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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Toshiaki OKABE et al.) Group Art Unit: 2833
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Application No.: 10/099,996) Examiner: T. NGUYEN
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Filed: March 19, 2002)
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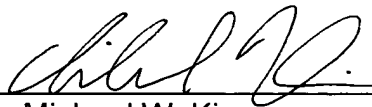
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of June 4, 2003. The claims are calculated as set forth below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
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Subtotal						\$ 0
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- N/A
TOTAL						\$ 0

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